

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:215
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UTILIZATION OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES
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Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any survey has been carried out by the Government for utilization of fruits and vegetables in the country, particularly in West Bengal for processing;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether any special zones for food processing are to be set up in the States;and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAI)

- (a) to (e): A statement is laid on the table of the House.